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SUBJECT

CORNELIUS J. NOONAN, aka
AR
(OO-New York)

Re New York airtel to Bureau dated 2/3/64.

The following investigation was conducted by SA
TAYLOR R. ROBERTS:

At Pottsville, Pa.

On 2/13/64, Mrs. MILDRED SMELTZER, manager, Schuyl-kill County Credit Exchange, Inc., 210 South Centre Street, advised her agency covers all of this county, including Hegins and Valley View, Pa. There is no record in her files for the subject nor anybody named LERUE or similar name.

The Hegins-Valley View, Pa., area is covered by The Commonwealth Telephone Company of Dallas, Pa. On 2/13/64, Miss JEAN BRADLEY, Supervisor, Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania, 308 South Centre Street (protect identity), ascertained that the Commonwealth Telephone Company does not have any subscribers named LERUE or similar name in the Hegins-Valley View, Pa., area. There are no subscribers with this name in the Pottsville, Pa., area.

A search of the files of Voters Registration, Schuyl-kill County Courthouse on 2/13/64 did not reflect anybody named LERUE or similar name registered as a voter in Schuylkill County, Pa.

Attention is directed to a case entitled "MICHAEL JOULWAN, aka.; AR;" OO-PH; Philadelphia file 92-972, BUfile 92-5688, New York file 92-2208. JOULWAN is a gambler now living in Pottsville, Pa. He is alleged to have formerly operated a poultry business in the Hegins-Valley View, Pa.,

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area, and reportedly is at present trying to get back in the poultry business. JOULWAN is alleged to be connected in gambling matters with RUSS BUFALINO, Pittston, Pa. A review of telephone toll records for JOULWAN does not reflect any known contacts with subject NOONAN. Whether or not JOULWAN might be "LERUE" mentioned by NOONAN or whether or not he has any association at all with NOONAN is unknown at this time.

On 2/13/64, PH 613-PC advised that "CONNIE" NOONAN is a racketeer who allegedly controls the Longshoreman's Union in New York City and is also a boxing manager. NOONAN used to come to Pottsville, Pa., once or twice a month for several years. Just why he came here is unknown. He always stayed at the Necho Allen Hotel in Pottsville and was usually accompanied by a woman he referred to as his wife. She was a tall, attractive brunette in her early 30's. NOONAN would sometimes stay two or three days in Pottsville. Informant would see him in the hotel dining room around supper time. Frequently the subject would be with MICHAEL MOSOLINO, Pottsville gambler, and his wife JEANETTE MOSOLINO. Once or twice informant saw NOONAN with JOHN MOSOLINO, brother of MICHAEL, and also a local gambler.

So far as is known NOONAN has never had any gambling or business interests in Pottsville. Informant has not noticed the subject in at least a year.

Informant advised that he still sees MICHAEL JOULWAN around town. He never heard of anybody named MIKE LERUE. JOULWAN at one time was supposed to be in the poultry business around Sacramento or Valley View, Pa. Whether or not he retained an interest in this business is unknown.

On 2/17/64, LAURA JEAN HIGGINS, Philadelphia PCI, advised she knows "Connie" NOONAN by reputation as a boxing manager. Several years ago she met him at the old Deer Park Country Club near Pottsville, Pa., which at that time was frequented by local gamblers and politicians. This club is no longer in operation. It has been several years since informant has seen NOONAN. Informant advised she has never heard of anybody named MIKE LERUE (phonetic) in this area.